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<u>PATENTEE</u>	PATENT NO.	ISSUE DATE
Rytky, et al.	5,690,119	November 25, 1997
Browne	5,598,849	February 4, 1997
Miley	5,921,890	July 13, 1999
Browne	5,921,891	July 13, 1999

Fry	6,002,982	December 14, 1999
Barrett, et al.	6,015,093	January 18, 2000
Barrett, et al.	6,042,009	March 28, 2000
Cairnes	6,139,494	October 31, 2000
Fry	6,148,262	November 14, 2000

NON-PATENT PUBLICATION

1. "Polar S810 Heart Rate Monitor User's Manual", April 23, 2001.

The above-referenced documents are listed on PTO Form 1449 and a copy of the cited documents is submitted to facilitate reference to them.

Applicants are not aware of any other references to be identified at this time. If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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